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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION (RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT)**  
**DATED JUNE 3, 2010**

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This communication is responsive to the Office Action (Restriction Requirement) dated June 3, 2010. Please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

Fees will be paid by credit card through the EFS Web; however the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency of fees and credit any overpayments to Deposit Account Number 12-0769.